

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:)
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Serial No.: 10/582,401) Group Art Unit: 1791
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For: Production of Continuous Filament Mats)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 18, 2008, Applicants request reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement and provisionally elect, with traverse, Group I, Claims 12-18, for further prosecution. If Applicants' request for reconsideration is denied, Applicants request cancellation of the claims relating to the non-elected groups.

Applicants respectfully traverse the restriction requirement and request reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement, as Applicants believe the search and examination of the entire application, comprising 11 claims, can be made without serious burden.